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and dog and to "swap" watches and the barn swept clean. In this latter sorrpw of an undigested dinner. guns, and he had a bar-room off the task we'd find a clevis or two, odds "Is this the editoral room?" were half intoxicated before noon. they could not go astray again.

crowd than I had heard altogether have bothered all summer long, here?" in ten years, and the young men of should receive attention. The dozen "Rain stops your work to-day?"-

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er what I've got." "Is that your team out in the driz-"Yes, that's mine. That roan hoss wheel.

has got a bad cough, but he can take it out in wheezing. I'm not going to be driven in place in the smoke- tra inside."" pay stable-hire out of my own pock- house, a new handle fitted to the ax,

township?" "Naw! Who's got time to fool with books?"

talk over farm matters!" "Naw! "How many papers do you take?" "I guess the old man takes one.

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but I never see it."

CARRIAGE MANUFACTORY

At Bell & Johnson's Old Stand swearing, and before noon there had you won't be in the least to blame. been three fights and one arrest. Manufacture and have for sale all kind Several watches and horses had changed owners, and there was a dog fight with stakes at \$5 a side.

postoffice and several stores. The young farmers were to be found at thing about it. Some one told them each place. Such as were not chew- that the procession and Rutler's ing plug tobacco were smoking clay speech were due at 11 o'clock, and Sulkeys, Track Wagons, &c.

"Well. I don't blame him so much. His father is a stingy, driving old column, and the Tribune and World fellow. That boy has been worked were to give him a fair show. It any of "Beast Butler." Here are Ledger two amendments to the State like a slave and allowed no privileges, was a solemn moment for the young the orders: and, now that he has grown too big journalists, but their intellects came to be thrashed, he seems bent on to the rescue. They made a bolt Plow and Machinery work of all making things hum."

> to a certain limit, and then he will eloquent and impressive remarks, either quietly leave home between the boys began to thank him, but he two days or remain to be a thorn in interrupted, and, shaking his forethe side of his parents. How easy finger at them, said: "Now don't it would have been to bring up any you tell the public that I got up to one of those boys to be respectable, repeat this speech; and I won't tell sourteous, temperate and industrious, your employers that you have been fitted to become law-breakers and ington Capital. desperadoes! Frank James, the bandit, told me in the County Jail at

whole world.

and needles would speedily repair damages. An hour's work would add a year's wear to every harness. And Wanted to Drown His Sorrews in It was a wet autumn day in a coun- Then the crank to the grindstone try town, and breakfast was hardly should be fixed on solid—that loose over at the tavern before farmers plank in the stable nailed down-that A dark look of despair was on his began to drop in. Where the old broken rung in the ladder going up countenance as he came slowly into man did not show up his boys did, to the mow made secure—the man- the office and sat upon a convenient and the lavern seemed to be the first gers overhauled to prevent waste of fauteil. There was a sort of wild place at which to stop. There were fodder-all pieces of rope and straps glare in his eye, which might to the various reasons for this. The land- picked up and hung where they casual observer indicate the presence

office. Out of twenty farmer boys and ends of chain, that hammer who entered the place during the which has been lost for weeks, two does editor. forenoon every one walked up for or three drag-teeth and other articles, his glass of beer or whisky, and some all of which should be secured where given to souring intellects?" There was more profanity in that After dinner the barn-doors, which

18 or 20 were far worse than the men places in the stable into which the that way." of 40. I entered into conversation keen air of winter would drive should "That the crimson leaves have with several different ones, and in be made snug. Every hinge on eveach case it resulted about as follows: ery door of barn or sheds should be trees and sighing as they left the oiled. Pitchforks, spades and naked branches? That like memoshovels with loose handles should be ries of the past they have charmed ground to an edge.

It wouldn't be a bit like work to sunk down in a melancholy oblivtake a wrench and overhaul the fam- ion?" ily carriage and the wagons. Loose "Not very, but I'm bound to scat- nuts should be tightened, springs oiled, bolts driven home and the has been sorrowful to my mind. It grease cleaned away before it works sounds like sweet strains of music into the hubs and weakens the whole from a distance; something like

the fanning-mill cleaned up, and all and placed together, and by supper the halls of memory there comes

content with the whole world. I have told you what I saw and low with age, and through the musty heard. I have imagined the opposite pages catch a faint scent of migno picture. But is there a farmer or nette that brought a thought of dainfarmer's son in this whole country ty fingers which traced the words of who will deny that the picture cannot a letter to you in the long ago?" "But don't you try to keep post- be made a fact? It depends more on the father than on the son. Once "You bet! If there's a chap in in a while a boy seems to have been ed in misfortune and I have tried to this county who kin skin me on a hoss born with a spirit of evil in him, but drown the bitter thoughts in the flowninety-nine out of a hundred can be ing bowl. Such is my purpose now. "How much change will you boys made what you will. Treat a boy as I wish to stay the uprising flood of family of Governor Charles H. Har-anyhow-" vou would an animal-have no care thoughts which only bring uncon-"None o' yer bizness, but I reckon for his feelings, humble his pride for querable sorrow. But I have only most of us will git away with a couple fear it may cause you expense—drive 5 cents. A glass of whisky costs 10. of dollars. I had five, and it's half him through thick and thin, and if Will you give me a nickel.?"

Butler and the New York Reporters. The night of the serenade to Butler, six able reporters of the New In the afternoon I called at the York newspapers repaired to the Fifth Avenue Hotel to write some-Phætons, pipes or strong cigars, and the smell as it was then 9, the boys repaired by Ben Butler upon assuming comof beer and whisky was simply dis- to the basement and struck into a gusting. Money was freely squan- game of pool, to kill time. At 10:45 dered, and all the talk was rough in they returned, and were somewhat thought and language. Who was astonished, not to say alarmed, to erner, read it. Southerner, every one responsible for all this? Just that learn that the procession had arrived, of you who have a mother, a wife, a class of farmers about whom we have Butler had spoken, the people had talked in previous articles. In each dispersed, and the candidate had case in which I made inquiry of citi- gone to bed. The Sun and Herald men had been told to report Butler it is a campaign lie, for every man in full; the Times wanted half a

for Ben's room, got him up, explained out of ten. A boy can be driven up speech. After he had concluded his

and how thoroughly they had been neglecting your business."-Wash-Bill Nye's Advice to Parents. Huntsville, Ala., that the farmers "how tall" he is-that he "grows like of the town plying her vocation. with whom he passed his youth had a weed"-and finally make him think more to do with making his future that he is a giraffe. If you keep it than anything born in him. They up you will finally make a round-East Side Square, MEXICO, MO. worked him as if he were an ox. shouldered, awkward, bashful bean-They never had a word of praise, and pole out of a mighty good looking gratted no privileges. He was cuffed boy. If every tall boy in this counbeen posted up after breakfast, and ward the house, tell her "what a ing. ST. LOUIS, MO. we'd have looked over the diary to great swalloping tom-boy she is get. Under this order Butler and his larger road tax where in the opinion 1883, when Dr Brooks addressed a Having taken snother lease of this HO- see what day we sowed wheat in lot ting to be." In this way if her pa-TEL. I shall THOROUGHLY RENOVATE No. 4-what time last spring we set rents act judiciously and in concert, Orleans. it and make many IMPROVEMENTS, out those apple trees-just what day we can soon have a nation of young and hope my former patrons and friends we sold the wool and bought that men and women whose manners and

HE WAS A STRANGER.

the Flowing Bowl. lord was a great hand to talk horse could be found when wanted, and of an overpowering and deep-seated

"Precisely." answered the relig-

"Exactly." "And do you know that autum

the senses for a moment and then

"I guess so." "The cadence of the autumn winds

standing outside of a theater, without And then those iron hooks might a ticket, and listening to the orches-

"Well?"

"I wanted to tell you. My life i "Got a circulating library in your the grain bags hunted up, marked something like this autumn. Through time we'd save \$25 of wear and tear whisper which tells me that summer and put in a day full of enthusiasm has flown and that a faint odor of "Don't you ever get together and and good nature. The evening should her levely flowers is borne upon the be saved for books and papers, and filmy wings of bitter recollection. bedtime would find father and son Did you ever look over a package of old letters, untouched for years, yel-

"Hardly." "I have. My life has been steep-

you don't make another tramp and The office stairs are steep, and There was no end of disputing and desperado for State Prison to shelter and when he landed at the bottom the bitter recollections of a past grief had given place to a present and

painful sorrow. A Dose of Ben Butler's Admirers. In order that our Greenback and Anti-Monopoly friends may vote intelligently for their candidate for the presidency, we present for their conit, Republican, read it, Democrat, read it. Independent, read it. Northsister, or a daughter, read it, and then walk up to the polls and cast and woman old enough to remember the civil war, will remember the tyr-

quarters Department of the Gulf, of the State into two judicial dis-That will be the result nine times and persuaded him to repeat the New Mexico, May 15, 1862.—As the tricts, one comprising the counties movement insult or show contempt to be paid by the State. for any officer or soldier of the Uni-

ted States, she shall be regarded and final resort for all cases not exceed-Do not constantly tell your boy held liable to be treated as a woman ing \$2,500, or affecting the title to place: By command of Maj. Gen. Butler. sired relief for the Supreme Court, duke said: "Many attacks have been GEORGE C. STRONG, Ass't Adjutant Gen. Chief of its docket, and avoid delay to liti- false charges. They have tried to

And then read this:

and whipped and found fault with try will agree to lick every wooden- 193.—Having heard on good authori- additional tax for road and bridge Confederacy. They say of me, 'He proverb than there is in most newsuntil, at the age of 15, he hated the headed man who tells him "how he ty that it is the purposes not to exceed 15 cents on was a rebel, and says he is as much papers. There never was a humorist does grow," I will agree to hold the zens of New Orleans and vicinity to the \$100 valuation. Under the pres- of a rebel now as he ever was.' That who was not more or less mad. If I looked over that crowd that rainy coat of said tall boy. I am now sell the cotton now on their hands ent constitution the county court can charge is utterly false. I was a rebel you don't think so, go and start a day and speculated on what might dealing with a subject of which I with the intent of using the proceeds only levy in this county 10 cents for four years, but all that is over; comic paper, and if you don't get have been. Had the farmer been the happen to be informed. The same thereof for dishonest purposes, proc- road and bridge purposes, and this and now if the occasion comes, I right sort of a man the boy would rule applies to girls as well. If you lamation is made that the soldiery amount has been found in many will carry the national flag as firmly inside of a week, we'll present you been at home. It would have been as want to make your daughter fall over are hereby authorized to destroy all counties to be wholly inadequate to and as bravely to the front as any good as a holiday for both. All the the piano and yearn to climb a tree cotton that can be found in the city keep the roads in good repair. The federal officer. items in the day-book would have whenever she sees anyone come to- or vicinity after 10 o'clock this morn- amendment will simply give to the "A false report circulated is that I was not Solomon, but Mr. J. Dryden.

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Ralph Talbet. The Denver News, speaking of the nomination of Hon. Ralph Talbot. formerly of this state, for the Legis-

lature, says: Mr. Ralph Talbot is a lawyer by profession, and was born of Maryand and Kentucky parentage in the year 1850, at Fayette, Howard county, Missouri. He was educated at Dartmouth college, N. H., graduating from that time-honored institution in the class of 1872, and remained for two years longer in the state as tutor of Laten and Modern History at St. Paul's, Concord, N. H. In 1874 Mr. Talbot went abroad

and began the study of the German language at Hanover, in Northern Germany. He subsequently matriculated at Leipzig university, in Saxony, and resided three years at that historic seat of learning as student of Roman civil law, German law, international law and political economy. To these departments of professional science Mr. Talbot was enabled by virtue of his maturity of years and familiarity with the political and tle the business. A big torch-light financial systems of his own country procession that takes two hours and to bring a breadth of view and practical experience which greatly facilitated their understanding and mas- you see?"

On his return to America he en-

Mo., of Colonel John F. Williams and Judge John W. Henry, the best proves the candidate a pure patriot known firm in the northern part of convinces the intelligent citizen, and the state, Colonel Williams being at so makes votes for our side?" present state commissioner of insurance, and John W. Henry one of the have got that point clearly enoughjudges of the Supreme court, and a little ornate and voluptuous, as it after a year of laborious and thor- were, but essentially correct. It is ough preparation had under their evident your sex is getting educated direction was admitted and enrolled up to a comprehension of the undying as a member of the St. Louis bar, principles that centrol the political As junior partner in the law firm of system of our republic." Holmes & Talbot he aided in buildinb up an active and remunerative business, until the precarious condition of his wife's health rendered it course. But there's one miner point, necessary for him to relinquish his my dear, that I wish you'd make just practice and remove from the Miss. a little plainer. You say processions issippi valley. He sought the high almake votes?" titude of Colorado and located several years ago in Denver and began anew his professional labors, meeting convinces every one that Mr. Blaine struct a big bonfire? Did you ever om the outset with flattering success. Mr. Talbet married into the that he doesn't know how to write, din, of Missouri, one of the staunchest and most honored Democrats

ing and industrious lawyer, possessing a very respectable clientage, is an accomplished and successful scholar and a forcible, incisive and up like guys from a Western circus surprise party of his life by having it logical speaker in both the English struck by a cyclone, yelling like Com- go off in his hands and burn all his and German languages. He is a man of broad and liberal views, of clean, upright moral character, trust worthy sideration a couple of orders made and honorable in all his dealings and commands the respect of all who mand at New Orleans in 1862. Read know him. If elected to the legis- full of hot soup—" lature he would make an active, energetic, incorruptible and influential member of the house, and not only those of the state at large would reyour ballots for him. You can't say diligent attention. We heartily commend him to the voting public.

The Amendments. As is known to the readers of the Constitution are to be voted upon at the coming November election. General Orders, No. 28.-Head- The first provides for the division

officers and soldiers of the United of the western part of the State and States have been subjected to repeat- the other the eastern part-and the ed insults from the women (calling establishment of a Court of Appeals banner shows the state of mind of themselves ladies of New Orleans) in in each district. It further provides the man who is fool enough to try return for the most scrupulous non- that in case the amendments carry, and find out what his wife don't advice. The very worst thing a man interference and courtesy on our part one of these courts be established at know about Presidential Elections in can do is to spare the rod and spoil it is ordered that hereafter when any Kansas City and the other at St. one lesson." female shall by word, gesture or Louis, the expenses of both courts The Court of Appeals will be a

real estate, and thus afford the dewhich is now three years behind with made in this campaign, and many

county court the power to levy a will not enforce the Sunday law. In "To the victor belonged the spots."

A Relic of the War. Piles are frequently preceded by a Col. Bill Davis received a heavy that I did not think that was the best tor catches on each and every time; riends we sold the wool and bought that new wagon, and we might even run back a year to see when the equinoctial set in and how long it lasted.

Then there would be something to the three would be something to do down cellar—old vegetables to the wagon, and we might even run back a year to see when the equinoctial set in and how long it lasted.

Then there would be something to the wealthiest man in the world is a sore toe.

The wealthiest man in the world is indigestion are present, as flathlency.

Col. Bill Davis received a heavy sense of weight in the back, loins silver watch this morning by express, which was stolen from him in 1862, while in Gratiot Street prison. It was a ffection of the kidneys or neighbor-recovered by Mrs. Baird, of Hardin The wealthiest man in the world is indigestion are present, as flathlency.

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EXPLAINED. How Torchlight Proce

Wife (who wants to learn.) - Perand not intended by nature to comexplain so that I could understand market, but held it all himself, and what earthly use it is to anybedy to drew all the dividends. If he lived have these campaign clubs, uniforms, now-a-days, Benjamin Franklin Butbanners, fire-works and hideous ler would call him a monopolist and torch-light processions every night." call upon the working the to vote

Husband (who is delighted to teach).—That is plain enough to my love. It is an essential part of the campaign machinery, only less important than to the country and the count have candidates and parties. All conservative people regard them as these things create enthusiasm, and imperishable monuments of antique it is enthusiasm that wine. The red, wisdom, and prefer them to the livwhite and blue lights, the gorgeous ing, breathing utterances of Roscoe trappings, the glittering pageant, the Conkling and George Francis Train. bombs bursting in air, the shouts of glad acclaim-all these go far to seta half in passing a given point is a knock-down argument in itself-don't

at some of them. "You mean it 'nails campaign lies," as you call it-shows that the slan tered the law office at Macon City, ders were false, washes off the mud thrown by miscreant maligners.

"Precisely, my love. I see you [A resounding smack.]

"Precisely."

"My leve!"

"And a crowd of men in red caps, street, did that boy ram his hands down into his pockets and go take a of that state and one of Missouri's silver-plated capes and green legmost respected and popular execu- gings likewise convince every one walk around the next block? that Mr. Cleveland never vetoed a Mr. Talbot is a careful, painstak- bill, and that he doesn't know a veto July? Did you ever see a boy set off when he sees one-" "Julia!"

telligence that General Butler never with a ten-foot pole, would he? Oh, stole a spoon, and wouldn't know a no, of course not. That's just the spoon if it was stuck into his mouth kind of a boy a bey is, isn't it?

"And that a lot of cranks dressed to resemble chain-pumps, water-coolvass, because they have to get 'lcad- tree hasn't got time to pay attention ed,' and that he wasn't brought up on to all of them.

"Julia Ann STEBBINS!!! And -oh, ves, go on! And a woman who has got the politics of her country down as fine as you have from her cook-book and Bazar ought to be Secretary of State in Belva Lockhung out for a Lockwood campaign the morning and go to school?

Among other things, Gen. Marmacreate a division and bitterness be-The second amendment provides tween the men who fought for the Proclamation .- General Order, No. that the county court may levy an Union and those who fought for the

> Governor, I alone answered his letter, truth has never been questioned, and and I gave him my exact views. I we don't propose to question it now. told him I was not a prohibitionist. There is not any doubt that the vic-

Solomon has been held up to the admiration of the civilized world as the wiscot man that over lived. He understedly knew a great deal. The best proof of his wisdom is the fact haps, it's because I'm 'only a woman, that he discovered the Ophir mine long before the Comstack lode was prehend these larger things of life'— known to any person, and worked it as you frequently remind me, my for all it was worth in those days. dear—but I really wish you would He never placed the stock on the

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Other people have also originated proverbs. Like all great men, Solomon has had his imitators, and now the world is flooded with remarks that read like the morals of decayed fables. Let us take a fleeting glance

"You never miss the water till the well runs dry."

That looks like a fair statement doesn't it? Now, let us see. When a man gets up in the morning, and finds that the pitcher in his room doesn't contain a drop of water, and knows that the hydrant is down in the back yard-three flights of stairs away - and the thermometer is at zero, doesn't he miss the water? Well, we should remark! Is the well dry? Not a great deal.

When a fellow is rowing a boat in a mile race, and he comes forward like lightning and then yanks his oar "We all take pride in learning now about a foot above the surface of the we have a candidate of our own, of river and rolls backward off the seat, doesn't be miss the water? Some

"The burnt child dreads the fire." That's another of the same kind. "Then a parade of Plumed Knights Did you ever see a small boy condid not write that Morey letter, and see a boy run and jump over it when by lighting on an ember? Well.

Say! Did you ever see a Fourth of a fire-cracker that wouldn't go, and, when he went back to see what was "And a mob of men and boys got the matter with it, enjoy the greatest anches, and a brass-band, make it fingers? On the next Fourth that plain as day to the most ordinary in- bey wouldn't touch a fire-cracker

"As the twig is bent, so is the tree

inclined." This is a metaphorical proverb. We never knew a tree had any inclinathe interests of Arapahoe county, but ers, ice-chests, reservoirs, hose-carts, tions at all, unless it had an inclinaold oaken buckets and street-sprink- tion to leave. Any one can see that ceive his thoughtful, earnest and lers, perambulating Broadway at midnight, would settle it that Mr. St. tree, and they are bent in a great John won't have any guns in his can- many different directions. New, a

> If the proverb had stated that as the tree is bent so is the small boy inclined, one might have been able to

see some sense in it. "The boy is father to the man." Any one can see that isn't true. If it is, why doesn't the boy thrash the wood's Cabinet; and a crazy-quilt man when the man don't get up in

"Spare the rod and spoil the child." This is genuine, downright bad the child. Boys were made to be whipped. It doesn't spoil a boy to The Fulton Gazette says, in report- whip him. He's just as good after can be lambasted again the next day with equal effect. As for the rod, there is no need of sparing it. Rods

are cheap. "Great wits are sure to madness

near alied." more truth to the square inch in this wrath. The author of this proverb

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